

# The Owasippe Honors

*Achieved by*

Scout

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Troop No.

393

Camp

BLACKHAWK

This record should be turned in to the camp Clerk, bearing authorized signatures certifying to Scout's achievements, by noon on the last Friday of each period.

Award will be made at the Court of Honor the last day of each period.

## SPECIAL NOTE

See the new Owasippe Honor pennant for sale at camp store—sold only to holders of Owasippe "O."

**OWASIPPE SCOUT CAMPS**

**Owasippe, Michigan**

## CAMP HONORS

There are three kinds of Camp Honors—as follows:

1. **Camp Numerals.** See requirements on page 3.
2. **The Owasippe "O" and Bars.** (To Honor Campers.) See requirements.
3. **The Order of the Arrow**—Awarded to Scouts who in the judgment of the Scouts of their troop have best shown the spirit of cheerful service to the camp and their troop, and who have exemplified to a high degree the Scout Oath and Law in their daily camp life.



There is a special method for leader election.

## THE CAMP NUMERALS

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To achieve the camp numerals, a Scout qualifies in Advancement, Citizenship and Camp Welfare, and one Nature requirement.

### 1. Advancement

Make satisfactory advancement. By passing at least two Second or First Class tests or two merit badges in any one period.

Scoutmaster's Certification.....

## 2. Citizenship

Be a good Scout citizen. Perform his share of the daily camp and troop and Patrol duties willingly and cheerfully.

Scoutmaster's Certification\_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Camp Welfare

Give at least two hours' time (other than routine daily duties) on some project approved in advance for the betterment of the camp.

Adult Staff\_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Pass any one of the requirements listed under "Naturalist" in Owaspippe "O" Scout has passed requirement. No\_\_\_\_\_

Naturalist's Certification\_\_\_\_\_

Note—The Camp Numerals will be awarded when the foregoing four requirements are completed.

When a Scout achieves beyond the Numeral requirement and earns the "O" during the same period, only the "O" is awarded.

## THE OWASIPPE O or BAR or STAR

The Owaspippe "O" can be earned in any one of the following twelve branches. The "O" must be earned in a different branch each period or year. Only one "O" emblem is ever given or worn.

For subsequent achievement of the "O" requirement in other seasons, a Bar emblem is given.

For subsequent achievement of "O" requirements in the same season, a Star emblem is given.

## THE OWASIPPE "O"

To achieve the Owasippe "O," Bar or Star a Scout will do the following:

1. In the particular period in which the "O" is to be obtained, complete all the requirements for the **Camp Numerals**.  
Clerk \_\_\_\_\_



or



2. **Leadership**

Display leadership in some direction so as to make the camp experience of other Scouts either more enjoyable or more profitable than it otherwise would have been.

Director or Asst. Director \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Special achievement:**

Specialize in one of the branches of camp lore hereafter described and show himself expert in it to the degree that he has satisfactorily attained the achievements outlined. The branches are Hiking—Indianlore—Handicraft in Archery or Woodcarving or Leathercraft—Woodcraft—Nature—Canoeing—Seamanship.



## Owasippe Hiker

*(Open to First Class Scouts)*

Attend an overnight hike under leadership of the hikemaster on which the Scout with a buddy, will do all of the 10 following requirements:

1. Erect temporary shelter and sleep in it overnight. Hikemaster's Cert.....
2. Cook two meals selected from the requirements of the cooking merit badge and put out cooking fires properly. Hikemaster's Cert.....
3. Build camp bed. Hikemaster's Cert.....
4. Make camp kitchen with garbage disposal arrangements.  
Build a latrine. Hikemaster's Cert.....
5. Demonstrate proper method of packing food, personal effects.  
Know what to wear. Hikemaster's Cert.....
6. Demonstrate use of map and compass.  
Hikemaster's Cert.....
7. Demonstrate use of axe.  
Hikemaster's Cert.....
8. Participate in campfire held as part of hike.  
Hikemaster's Cert.....
9. Show good Scout spirit and knowledge of the ways of the woods throughout all of above.  
Hikemaster's Cert.....
10. If grading on first hike is satisfactory, attend a second hike satisfactorily serving as an as-

sistant to the hikemaster aiding in the preliminary training, as well as helping on the actual hike. Hikemaster's Cert. ....

## **Owasippe Handicrafter**

*(Open to All Scouts)*

By fulfilling the requirements in one of the three divisions below and also qualifying in the following:

Show proper spirit of co-operation in the up-keep and maintenance of the Handicraft Lodge by sharing in the clean-up at the end of the daily period, and in the care of the equipment. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

### **Handicrafter in Woodcarving**

*(Open to All Scouts)*

1. Demonstrate care and use of woodcarving tools. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
2. Draw original designs, one of which must be worked upon wood. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
3. Whittle some article, such as neckerchief slide. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
4. Carve an article, such as plaque, pair of book-ends, miniature totem pole. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

### **Handicrafter in Leathercraft**

*(Open to All Scouts)*

1. Describe briefly how the Indian or plainsman tanned buckskin, made rawhide, and the uses he made of these. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

2. Demonstrate and complete satisfactorily plaited articles of leather thongs in which are involved the use of four strand round plaiting, four strand flat, turkshead, and sliding knot. Articles might be watch guards, whistle lanyard. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
3. Make acceptable article complete of soft leather such as coin purse, vest, leather bag, moccasins, etc. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
4. Draw a satisfactory original design of a project in tooling leather involving beveling, creasing and stamping or modeling. Make this article. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

### **Handicrafter in Archery**

*(Open to First Class Scouts)*

1. Demonstrate care and use of tools in archery work. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
2. Make a satisfactory bow. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
3. Fletch and tip three arrows satisfactorily. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
4. Demonstrate proper form in shooting and report at least three different periods at the range for observation and practice. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....
5. Give brief history of archery. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

### **Owasippe Woodcrafter**

*(Open to First Class Scouts holding Life Saving, Camping, Cooking and Pioneering Merit Badges)*

1. Build or help build a major camp project requiring at least twelve hours of effort and in-



struct other Scouts in the construction of minor items such as camp furniture, bridges, lean-tos, etc. Handicraft Leader's Cert. ....

## Owasippe Naturalist

*(Open to First Class Scouts)*

1. Attend at least two bird hikes while at camp, keep record of birds seen, including name, where seen, food and distinguishing characteristics (song, color, etc.) Naturalist's Cert. ....
2. Make six drawings of leaves and one plaster cast or 4 ink prints.  
Naturalist's Certification. ....
3. Identify five fungi and five mosses or ten of one kind. Naturalist's Cert. ....
4. Make acceptable plaster cast of wild bird or animal track. Naturalist's Cert. ....
5. Be able to locate eight constellations and make acceptable rough sketches of each one located.  
Naturalist's Cert. ....
6. Make an acceptable contribution to the Museum, approved in advance by the Naturalist.  
Naturalist's Cert. ....
7. Know and identify five kinds of turtles, one of which is edible.
8. Know and identify two poisonous snakes.
9. Give satisfactory leadership to other Scouts in this division of the camp program.  
Naturalist's Cert. ....



## Advanced Naturalist

(Open to Scouts Holding Naturalist "O")

1. Have previously passed, or earn during this period, four of the following badges:

Botany	Astronomy
Bird Study	Zoology
Reptile Study	Conservation
Insect Life	Weather
Forestry	Taxidermy

Naturalist's Cert. ....

2. Collect and identify 20 insects.

Naturalist's Cert. ....

3. Secure specimens, prepare attractive and acceptable exhibit for permanent display in the Nature Department. Project approved in advance by Naturalist, and work to be under his supervision. Naturalist's Cert. ....

4. Identify thirty trees in this region.

Naturalist's Cert. ....

5. Instruct five Second Class Scouts in the First Class Nature requirements.

Naturalist's Cert. ....

6. Serve as Assistant to the Naturalist for one period each day, as designated by the Naturalist. Naturalist's Cert. ....

7. Collect and identify 10 wild flowers and 5 edible fruits. Naturalist's Cert. ....

8. Make a field study while at Camp, of 15 species of birds, to be found at Owasippe at this time. Know thoroughly their markings, call, feeding and nesting habits. Naturalist will require sketches and brief notebook outlines on each species. Sketches and notes to be bound together attractively for future reference.

Naturalist's Cert. ....

9. Prepare for and conduct successfully, a Star hike, for at least four and not more than eight, Second Class Scouts. Naturalist's Cert.....

## Owasippe Canoeist

*(Open to Scouts holding Life Saving and Swimming Merit Badges and in addition earn the Canoeing Merit Badge this season or demonstrate the following knowledge of Canoeing:)*

1. Demonstrate the following fundamental canoe strokes in both bow and stern: straight ahead, straight back, sweep, draw and throw strokes. Also the pry or jay stroke and the steering strokes. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
2. Board a canoe from the water (two Scouts.) Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
3. Rack a canoe (two Scouts.) Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
4. Select proper size paddle for bow and stern work. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
5. Get into a canoe properly from beach. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
6. Shift paddling sides with a partner correctly. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
7. Tell fundamental principles of safety in canoeing. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....
8. Participate as a satisfactory member of a White River Canoe trip party (or other overnight authorized canoe trip) demonstrating proper method of packing a canoe, how to handle it and how to camp. Aquatic Leader's Cert.....

## Owasippe Seaman

*(Open to First Class Scouts holding Life Saving and Swimming Merit Badges who are Third Year Campers)*

1. Give sketch of sea history—general and with special reference to Lake Michigan.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
2. Know boat nomenclature—parts of a boat and oar. Types of boats.  
Demonstrate boat handling—how to handle oars, give commands—get away, make landing, tie up. Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
3. Knots and their various uses—splices, and general use and care of line.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
4. Abandon ship drills off a dock, and out of small boats. For this purpose davits and rigs falls should be rigged.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
5. Use of tackles, boat falls, setting up standing riggings, derricks and other devices.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
6. Boat etiquette—forms and courtesies to observe in own boat and to others. Rules of road.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
7. Use of lead and log-soundings—chart work.  
Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_
8. Sail satisfactorily as a member of a crew and as skipper. Certified by Aquatic Leader\_\_\_\_\_

## Owasippe Chief

*(Open to Third Year Campers)*

1. Know Omaha Tribal prayer ("Wakonda") and its meaning, and one other Indian song.  
Certified by Approved Leader.....
2. Make a satisfactory article of Indian equipment such as war bonnet, rattle, two-feather head-dress, tom-tom or large piece of bead-work. Certified by Leader.....
3. Demonstrate ten (10) signs of Indian sign language. Certified by Leader.....
4. Know one dance completely.  
Certified by Approved Leader.....
5. Know three fundamental steps.  
Certified by Approved Leader.....
6. Demonstrate beats for various dance steps on tom-tom. Certified by Leader.....
7. Give satisfactory leadership to this branch of the camp program.  
Certified by Approved Leader.....

## HOW TO WEAR

"O" is worn on the back corner of the neckerchief. Only one is ever worn.

Bar is worn on the back corner of neckerchief under the "O."

Stars are sewn superimposed on either the "O" or the Bar.